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## AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116

Sir:

In response to the final rejection of September 16, 1997, and further to the advisory action of February 24, 1998, applicants hereby amend this application as follows. A two month extension of time has already been requested, and paid for. A third month of extension is hereby requested, and is accompanied by a check for